

## **Quarterly Issues/Program list for KCTS9 Public Television for the period of April - June 2009**

**(The following are selected examples of representative issues and programs)**

### **War/National Security/Veterans**

*Coming Home: Military Families Cope with Change (Documentary 30 minutes)*

This special explores the challenges faced by injured soldiers and their families. It salutes their courage and strength; offers strategies for coping -- encouraging them to share their feelings, turn to one another for support and use existing support services; helps these families recognize that they are not alone in this process; and offers the public a glimpse into what military families endure.

*Airdate 4/1 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Northwest Veterans Come Home: A KCTS 9 Connects Special (Interview/Discussion half hour)*

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is the Cabinet department responsible for providing federal benefits to veterans and their dependents. The VA's health care benefits and services are extensive, with 163 VA hospitals in the United States, 850 ambulatory care and community-based outpatient clinics, 137 nursing homes, 43 domiciliaries and 73 comprehensive home-care programs. In addition, the VA operates 206 Vet Centers, providing psychological counseling for veterans.

*Airdate 4/1 @ 8:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*NOW on PBS (Documentary 30 minutes)*

Thousands of U.S. troops are getting discharged out of the Army. Many suffer from post traumatic stress disorders and brain injuries, and haven't been getting the care they need. The Army's been claiming these discharged soldiers had pre-existing mental illnesses. But health advocates say these are wrongful discharges, a way for the army to get rid of "problem" soldiers quickly, without giving them the treatment to which they're entitled. NOW covered this issue last summer, and this week we revisit the Army's controversial position and follow up with affected soldiers we met. As a result of the media attention from our report and others, the Department of Defense revised its criteria for diagnosing pre-existing conditions and, now, fewer soldiers are receiving the diagnosis, making more of them eligible for care. This is an update to the NOW investigation "Fighting the Army." Also this week, we update how the distant Pacific nation of Kiribati is dealing with the reality that both their land and culture could disappear from the Earth due to global warming. Kiribati President Anote Tong is now considering purchasing land abroad to save his people. He says his pleas for international support have largely fallen on deaf ears. Experts predict millions of people will become climate change refugees in the years to come. This is an update to the show "Paradise Lost."

*Airdate 4/3 @ 8:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion one hour)*

A review of President Obama's trip to Europe with Zbigniew Brzezinski, United States National Security Advisor to President Jimmy Carter, and Henry Kissinger, former Secretary of State.

*Airdate 4/7 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion one hour)*

First, a conversation about President Obama's diplomatic trip to Europe with Ambassador John Negroponte, currently a research fellow and lecturer in international affairs at Yale University. Prior to this appointment, he served as the United States Deputy Secretary of State and as the first ever Director

of National Intelligence. Then, a review of Obama's trip and unannounced stop in Baghdad with David Sanger, White House Correspondent for The New York Times.

*Airdate 4/8 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Charlie Rose (Interview/Discussion one hour)*

First, a conversation about President Obama's diplomatic engagement with Iran with journalist Robin Wright. Then, a conversation with Jehan Sadat, first lady of Egypt from 1970 until Anwar Sadat's assassination in 1981, about her new book "My Hope for Peace." Finally, a conversation with Juan Cole, professor, expert and commentator on Middle Eastern affairs about his new book, "Engaging the Muslim World."

*Airdate 4/10 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Frontline/World: Children of the Taliban (Documentary 60 minutes)*

PBS's premier international newsmagazine returns with more "stories from a small planet," starting in Pakistan, where correspondent Sharmeen Obaid investigates the increasing power and influence of a new branch of the Taliban that is helping make the country one of the Obama Administration's top foreign policy concerns. Also in this hour, correspondent Doug Rushkoff travels to the edge of the digital frontier -- South Korea -- for a look at a country that's embraced the wired world more thoroughly than any place on earth, and is now potentially facing a new public health crisis: internet addiction.

*Airdate 4/14 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*We Shall Remain: American Experience Tecumseh's Vision (Documentary 90 minutes)*

In the spring of 1805, Tenskwatawa (actor Billy Merasty, Cree First Nation), a Shawnee, fell into a trance so deep that those around him believed he had died. When he finally stirred, the young prophet claimed to have met the Master of Life. He told those who crowded around that the Indians were in dire straits because they had adopted white culture and rejected traditional spiritual ways. For several years, Tenskwatawa's spiritual revival movement drew thousands of adherents from tribes across the Midwest. His elder brother, Tecumseh (actor Michael Greyeyes, Plains Cree), would harness the energies of that renewal to create an unprecedented military and political confederacy of often antagonistic tribes, all committed to stopping white westward expansion. The brothers came closer than anyone since to creating an Indian nation that would exist alongside and separate from the United States. The dream of an independent Indian state may have died at the Battle of the Thames, when Tecumseh was killed fighting alongside his British allies, but the great Shawnee warrior would live on as a potent symbol of Native pride and pan-Indian identity.

*Airdate 4/20 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Swimming In Auschwitz (Documentary one hour)*

SWIMMING IN AUSCHWITZ interweaves the stories of six Jewish women imprisoned inside the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp during the Holocaust. The women maintained a spiritual resistance against their Nazi aggressors through prayer, community, music and even humor. They speak of camp families and faith, uplifting one another while trying to retain their humanity. Their compelling testimonials reveal the power of laughter and community, even in the face of evil.

*Airdate 4/23 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Citizen Tanouye (Documentary one hour)*

In CITIZEN TANOUYE, students from Torrance, Calif. research the life and times of Technical Sergeant Ted Tanouye (1919-1944), a distinguished alumnus of their school posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor for his heroic service during World War II. Tanouye fought loyally overseas - and later killed in the

line of duty - while his family, and other American citizens of Japanese ancestry, were "relocated" to internment camps. Through their investigation of school yearbooks, newspapers and the Internet and conversations with World War II veterans, the students learn about the war's impact on their city and discover the civil rights abuses of World War II-era America.

*Airdate 5/3 @ 10:30 – 11:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*True Whispers: The Story of the Navajo Code Talkers (Documentary one hour)*

Exploring the personal and heartfelt story of the Navajo Code Talkers, TRUE WHISPERS tells the stories of the young Navajo men recruited from harsh government boarding schools into the Marines during World War II. From 1942-1945, the Code Talkers devised an unbreakable code in their native language and transmitted vital messages in the midst of combat against the Japanese.

*Airdate 5/4 @ 12:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*WW II Behind Closed Doors: Stalin, the Nazis and the West: Unlikely Friends (Summer 1939 to Autumn 1941) (Documentary two hours)*

The first episode lays bare a history of secret allegiances that Stalin wanted to hide. Before he was allied with Churchill and Roosevelt, Stalin offered help to Hitler and the Nazis - much more help than the rest of the world knew.

*Airdate 5/6 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Independent Lens Wings of Defeat (Documentary 1 hour)*

Internationally, WWII Kamikaze remain a potent symbol of fanaticism, while in Japan, they are still revered as self-sacrificing heroes. Until now, few outsiders knew that hundreds of kamikaze actually survived their suicide missions. In candid interviews, former pilots reveal how a generation of young men was forced to pay for an empire's pride with their lives. At the end of the war, with defeat imminent, all Japanese planes had been sent off on hopeless Kamikaze attacks. Their heartbreaking testimony, corroborated with rare archival footage, conveys the true depth of war's travesty. Sixty years later, these humble men tell us about the horrors of the cockpit, their dramatic survival and the survivors' guilt haunting them. This film probes the responsibilities that a government at war has to its people and its soldiers.

*Airdate 5/5 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Appalachia: A History of Mountains and People New Green World (Documentary one hour)*

The second part of this series about the natural and human history of Appalachia traces the story of the region from the rumblings of Revolutionary War through Andrew Jackson's forced relocation of the Cherokee people in 1831. Appalachia's early settlers hand-cut trails through steep terrain covered with enormous trees and teeming with wild animals. They weren't about to take orders from Redcoats. When a few hundred angry mountain men handily beat the regiment of a pompous British major, they changed the course of history. Contrary to current stereotypes, the colonists saw Appalachia as a source of great wealth. Her riches seduced early Americans, from the legendary adventurer Daniel Boone to naturalist William Bartram to a young land surveyor named George Washington. Academy Award-winning actress Sissy Spacek narrates.

*Airdate 5/10 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*WW II Behind Closed Doors: Stalin, the Nazis and the West: Cracks in the Alliance (Autumn 1941 to December 1943) (Documentary two hours)*

On August 12, 1942, Stalin finally came face-to-face in Moscow with Churchill. Despite the upbeat newsreels of the time, it was hardly a meeting of minds. As one of Churchill's generals later remarked, "We were going into the lion's den and we weren't going to feed him."

*Airdate 5/13 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*First Battle (Documentary one hour)*

"The First Battle" documents how, during World War II, 120,000 people of Japanese ancestry on the U.S. mainland were wrongly interned, while 160,000 people of Japanese ancestry in Hawaii were able to go about their lives. The majority, if not all, of Hawaii's residents of Japanese ancestry were targeted to be forced into internment camps after the bombing of Pearl Harbor in 1941. This documentary reveals that mass internment could very well have occurred if not for a few twists of fate and the foresight and bravery of a small network of men in Hawaii.

*Airdate 5/20 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*WW II Behind Closed Doors: Stalin, the Nazis and the West: Dividing The World (January 1944 to August 1945) (Documentary two hours)*

On the verge of an Allied victory in Europe, a new fight was just beginning over who would control parts of Europe. Using unique archive material only available since the fall of Communism, this episode reveals the unknown forces that were tearing the Alliance apart just as victory was in reach.

*Airdate 5/20 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Way of the Warrior (Documentary one hour)*

This program examines the visceral nature of war and the bravery of Native American veterans who valiantly served in the United States military during the wars of the 20th century, and explores the paradox of these proud veterans who chose to fight for a country that considered them to be outside the American mainstream. These gripping stories are told against the backdrop of positive and negative themes familiar to Native Americans -- the warrior ethic, prejudice, forced assimilation, poverty, cultural pride, redemptive acts and healing -- through the prism of what it means to be "ogichidaa," one who protects and follows the ways of the warrior.

"Way of the Warrior" uses historical footage, period photographs and sound effects of war laid next to more comfortable stateside settings of family and friends, reflecting the complexity of Native American warriors' motivations.

*Airdate 5/22 @ 4:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Fighting for Life (Documentary 90 minutes)*

FIGHTING FOR LIFE is a powerful, sobering and emotional feature documentary portrait of American military medicine interweaving three stories. Military doctors, nurses and medics, working with skill, compassion and dedication amidst the vortex of the Iraq War. Wounded soldiers and marines reacting with courage, dignity and determination to survive and to heal. -Students at USU, the "West Point" of military medicine, on their journey toward becoming career military physicians. The film follows 21 year-old Army Specialist Crystal Davis, from Iraq to Germany to Walter Reed Hospital Washington DC, as she fights to recover and "bounce back" from the loss of a leg. The filmmakers had extraordinary access to combat support hospitals in Iraq, medevac flights with wounded soldiers, and military hospitals in Germany and the United States.

*Airdate 5/24 @ 10:30 on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Hallowed Grounds (Documentary one hour)*

HALLOWED GROUNDS visits 22 of America's overseas military cemeteries, and tells the story of these remarkable places with historical sequences about the wars and battles that created them, and moving vignettes and interviews about the men and women who rest in them. Created after World War I and World War II, these cemeteries are some of America's great national treasures. HALLOWED GROUNDS provides a rare look at these commemorative shrines and brings them home with stirring images and details. They are located in England, France, the Netherlands, Luxembourg, Belgium, Italy, Tunisia and the Philippines. Each cemetery is a unique expression of commemorative design, with great architecture, breathtaking landscapes, and powerful works of art. All are tangible representations of American values. HALLOWED GROUNDS is filled with tales of sacrifice and courage. Some of the fallen are well known: the poet Joyce Kilmer, the bandleader Glenn Miller, the five Sullivan Brothers, General George S. Patton. But most were ordinary men and women caught up in the calamity of war. These overseas military cemeteries were created to honor America's Fallen, but they are also intended to inspire and teach the living. For in these HALLOWED GROUNDS, one can clearly see the tragic cost of war and the true price of freedom.

*Airdate 5/25 @ 10:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Frontline/World: Pakistan Under Siege (Documentary one hour)*

As a nervous world watches a new branch of the Taliban gain ground -- and the United States steps up its pressure on the Pakistani government to confront the militants' mounting threat -- FRONTLINE/WORLD reports from the front lines of what has become, perhaps, the most volatile conflict in the world. First, a timely rebroadcast of Sharmeen Obaid-Chinoy's dangerous journey through a country under siege -- from Pakistan's lawless tribal areas, where the Army is battling the Taliban; to the Swat Valley, where the Taliban are fighting to keep control; to the major cities, which the Taliban now have in their sights. Also in this hour, correspondent David Montero investigates the mysterious death of a journalist -- and a personal friend -- killed while reporting from ground zero of the Army's campaign against the Taliban in the Swat Valley. And, finally, a new dispatch from Sharmeen Obaid-Chinoy on the coming battle for hearts and minds in Pakistan's largest city.

*Airdate 5/26 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*National Memorial Day Concert (Concert 90 minutes)*

On Memorial Day weekend, PBS unites our nation in honor of all of America's men and women in uniform for their service and sacrifice with the 20th anniversary presentation of the NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONCERT. The event is led for the fourth year by co-hosts Gary Sinise ("CSI NY") and Tony Award-winner Joe Mantegna ("Criminal Minds"), two actors who have dedicated themselves to veterans' causes and supporting our troops in active service. The program, broadcast live from the West Lawn of the U.S. Capitol in Washington, D.C., features a mix of dramatic readings, documentary footage and live musical performances, along with an all-star line-up of dignitaries, actors and musical artists and the National Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Erich Kunzel.

*Airdate 5/24 @ 7:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Independent Lens Steal a Pencil For Me (Documentary one hour)*

"Love conquers all." Or at least that's what Jack Polak thought while struggling for survival in a Nazi concentration camp. Jack, his wife Manja and his new love, Ina, all end up living in the same barracks. When Jack's wife objects to the relationship, in spite of their unhappy marriage, Jack and Ina resort to writing secret love letters, which gives them the strength to survive.

*Airdate 5/26 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Independent Lens Ask Not (Documentary one hour)*

This program is an exploration of the U.S. military's "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy. The film exposes the tangled political battles that led to the discriminatory law and profiles charismatic activists determined to abolish it. As the war rages on, ASK NOT reveals personal stories of gay Americans who serve in combat under a veil of secrecy.

*Airdate 6/16 @ 10:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*As We Forgive (Documentary one hour)*

Could you forgive a person who murdered your family? The subjects of AS WE FORGIVE face this very question and others without easy answers. Through in-depth interviews, the documentary follows two Rwandan women on a journey to make peace with the neighbors who slaughtered their families during the 1994 genocide. The film, narrated by actor and activist Mia Farrow, provides an intimate, first-hand view of the encounters between genocide perpetrators and their victims' families as they navigate the road to reconciliation.

*Airdate 6/29 @ 10:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

## Education

*Place of Our Own (Interview/Discussion half hour)*

A PLACE OF OUR OWN is the English-language companion to the Spanish-language series LOS NINOS EN SU CASA. Both series are designed for parents and anyone else who takes care of young children: grandparents, nannies, babysitters and home daycare providers. The series covers subjects such as tantrums, literacy, preventing obesity, and speech and language delays. These Peabody Award-winning series combine an entertainment format -- the daytime talk/demonstration show -- with solid educational information on how young children learn, and what adults need to know to help them be prepared for kindergarten and beyond.

*Airdates Monday through Friday @ 6:00 am 4/5 to 6/28 a total of 6 ½ hours)*

*Los Ninos En Su Casa (Interview/Discussion half hour)*

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*Airdates Sunday's @ 7:00 am 4/1 to 6/30 a total of 32 hours)*

*Huchoosedah: Traditions of the Heart (Documentary one hour)*

This KCTS 9 documentary chronicles the efforts of 77-year-old historian and scholar Vi Hilbert, an Upper Skagit elder from Washington state, as she works to preserve the ancient Lushootseed language as a living language. Interwoven with Hilbert's story are images of the land that is home to her tribe, along with archival photos capturing Skagit traditions and culture.

*Airdate 4/13 @ 11:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Renegade Genius (Documentary one hour)*

Meet Thomas Gold, RENEGADE GENIUS, a brilliant original thinker who dared to defy conventional science. Chances are you've never heard of him, but this hour-long documentary shows us how Gold's radical theories have transformed the way science views the origin of life, how we hear sounds, and what we know about space. Emmy, Dupont and Peabody award-winning producer, Jon Palfreman, reveals a Gold who was brazen, egotistical, strident; a man unafraid to go against the crowd. Sometimes brilliantly right... sometimes dead wrong. Thomas Gold was fearless. Few strike gold without taking risks. RENEGADE GENIUS.

*Airdate 5/25 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Ready, Set, Grow (Interview/Discussion one hour)*

KCTS 9's "Ready, Set, Grow" is a one-hour town hall special focusing on the early learning of children birth to 5. We'll share the cutting-edge science taking place in Seattle about brain development and language acquisition during those crucial early years. We'll explore the societal impact of early learning and what policy makers are doing here in our region, as well as across the borders. And we'll provide insight on what you can do as parents, grandparents, and childcare providers to nurture learning in the children you love. The show will feature several field reports, as well as in-depth interviews, panel discussions with policy experts, and Q&A with a live studio audience.

*Airdate 5/27 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Music Instinct: Science and Song (Documentary two hours)*

This documentary provides a groundbreaking exploration into how and why the human organism is moved by music. New work in neuroscience is giving us clues to the mysteries of how and why music penetrates the brain and the emotions. The program follows visionary researchers and accomplished musicians to the crossroads of science and culture in search of answers to music's deep mysteries. The program includes compelling performances by world-famous performers, in genres from rock to classical, such as Bobby McFerrin, Yo-Yo Ma, Jarvis Cocker and Richard Hawley and Evelyn Glennie.

*Airdate 6/24 @ 9:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*Students of Change: Los del '68 (Documentary half hour)*

In the fall of 1968 a group of Mexican American youth left the rural Yakima Valley and entered the University of Washington amidst a time of great transformation. Coming mainly from migrant families, these students would not only be changed by their activism and study, ultimately they would transform the communities of the valley and the university itself. Many would go on to roles of leadership in education, business, healthcare and academics. This 30 minute documentary, available in both English and Spanish versions, links the eastern and western sides of the state in a common story of overcoming social and economic obstacles, working for civil rights and realizing dreams.

*Airdate 6/25 @ 7:30 pm on HD & KYVE*

## **Employment**

*NOVA Doctors' Diaries - Part 1 (Documentary one hour)*

This is the last installment in the groundbreaking NOVA series that began in 1987 and followed seven students starting out at Harvard Medical School. Over the last two decades, NOVA has documented these individuals' trials and tribulations as they struggled to become doctors and has continued to check in on the progress of their medical careers. From divorces, to death, dealing with patients and balancing time at work and at home, NOVA's cameras were there to follow each major milestone in these doctors' lives. Candid, in-depth interviews have given viewers a real sense of what each person has to deal with

day in and day out since they made the decision to practice medicine. Now, we return one last time to get an update on the remaining six (one switched careers) and see what kind of doctors -- and people -- they have become.

*Airdate 4/7 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nightly Business Report (Interview/Discussion half hour)*

Market Stats; Paul Kangas' Stocks in the News; One on One with Howard Atkins, CFO, Wells Fargo; Wells Fargo Sparks A Rally; "Reviving the Economy: Real Estate"-New York Layoffs; "Market Monitor"-Richard Lehman of Income Securities Advisors.

*Airdate 4/9 @ 5:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Tavis Smiley (Interview/Discussion half hour)*

Rep. Henry Waxman, Chair of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, discusses moving to a low carbon-energy economy, greening the ghetto and healthcare. Actor Idris Elba talks about working with people who've influenced his career, guest-starring on "The Office" and his role in the film "Obsessed."

*Airdate 4/14 @ 5:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*About the Money with Josephine Cheng (Interview/Discussion two 10 minute segments)*

Hillary Clinton may have put 18 million cracks in it, but is the glass ceiling still a barrier to women's advancement? We take an inside look at where women stand in today's workforce.

New head of JP Morgan Chase's NW operations, Phyllis Campbell discusses the changes she's seen in her trailblazing executive career.

*Airdate 4/14 @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*NOVA Doctors' Diaries - Part 2 (Documentary one hour)*

This is the last installment in the groundbreaking NOVA series that began in 1987 and followed seven students starting out at Harvard Medical School. Over the last two decades, NOVA has documented these individuals' trials and tribulations as they struggled to become doctors and has continued to check in on the progress of their medical careers. From divorces, to death, dealing with patients and balancing time at work and at home, NOVA's cameras were there to follow each major milestone in these doctors' lives. Candid, in-depth interviews have given viewers a real sense of what each person has to deal with day in and day out since they made the decision to practice medicine. Now, we return one last time to get an update on the remaining six (one switched careers) and see what kind of doctors -- and people -- they have become.

*Airdate 4/14 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna (Documentary program segment 10 minutes)*

The University of Washington has to cut 214 million dollars from its budget. Tuition hikes will be hefty while the quality of education may drop. We talk with President Mark Emmert about where he plans to shave dollars and we sit down with students to hear their concerns about the future of their education.

*Airdate 5/29 @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Visionaries: Getting Ready - A Prison Program That Works (Documentary half hour)*

Getting Ready is a prison program that simply works. The numbers don't lie. Inmate-on-inmate violence is down by 37 percent, inmate-on-staff assaults by 51 percent, and inmate suicides have been reduced by 33 percent. But the real change comes when the inmates are released. An inmate who has gone through the program is 35% more successful on the outside. That means they are more likely to get jobs, stay drug free and reunite with their family. It also means they are far less likely to commit another



crime. How does it work? It starts on day one. From the moment inmates enter the Arizona Department of Corrections the quest is to prepare them for the day they leave. Visionaries takes you inside the Arizona prisons where you experience the powerful transformation that occurs when Administrators, Corrections Officers and Inmates work together in a system designed to mirror how life works on the outside. That means inmates must earn privileges and compete for good jobs by getting an education, participating in rehabilitation programs and contributing to the community.

*Airdate 6/14 @ 10:00 am on HD & KYVE*

*Visionaries: Learning to Change - Two Stories of how the act of acquiring knowledge can change the world. (Documentary half hour)*

Civilian Joint Duty Program - 9/11, never again - Just when you thought all the news about the intelligence community was bad, here comes a new program that is inspiring the next generation of leaders toward a more open and cooperative approach to national security. It is called the Civilian Joint Duty Program. It is built on the realization that the tragedy of September 11th might have been avoided if our nation's 16 intelligence gathering agencies had shared crucial information. As a prerequisite for promotion, the program requires senior level employees to spend a tour of duty in a sister agency where they can develop the relationships and perspective that form the cornerstone of mutual cooperation. Visionaries takes you inside the National Intelligence Community where you will discover that the concept of sharing has made our nation more secure.

Learning to Earn a Brighter Future - The idea is simple; students will earn more if they learn more. In North Carolina, 20,000 high school students across the state can earn up to a two full years of college credit, free of charge, while still in high school. They can take the courses online through their local high school or they can attend one of the 60 "Learn & Earn High Schools" where they can earn both a high school diploma and an associate's degree or two years of college in just five years. The program is a bold response to the realization that North Carolina will need an educated work force if it is going to prosper in the new and highly competitive global economy.

*Airdate 6/21 @ 10:00 am on HD & KYVE*

*Visionaries: Bar None - Rehabilitation Vs. Punishment (Documentary half hour)*

This story will shatter everything you thought you knew about juvenile crime and punishment. In Missouri they have no bars in the juvenile detention facilities. No juvenile convicted of crime is locked in a cell. There are no physical restraints, no isolation rooms; in fact, the word "punishment" is never used. In this groundbreaking documentary, Visionaries takes you inside youth facilities across the state of Missouri where you meet young people in the midst of a rehabilitation approach to Juvenile Justice that has produced startling results. You discover that a place built on compassion, group therapy and a profound belief in the inherent ability of young people to change, is not only a much safer place, a startling 70% of the of the young people who complete the program never get convicted of another crime.

*Airdate 6/28 @ 10:00 am on HD & KYVE*

## **Environment/Nature/Geography**

*Oregon Field Guide (Documentary half hour – total 4 & half hours)*

This series explores some of the Northwest's outstanding outdoor wonders, fun activities and riveting occupations.

*Airdates 4/2, 4/8, 4/16, 4/30, 5/6, 5/13, 5/20, 5/27, 6/18\*(on 6/18 did not broadcast on KCTS 9 as we are no longer analogue!) @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Frogs: Thin Green Line (Documentary one hour)*

It is the greatest mass extinction since the dinosaurs. Population by population, species by species, amphibians are vanishing off the face of the Earth. Despite international alarm and scientists scrambling for answers, the steady hemorrhaging of amphibians continues like a leaky faucet that cannot be fixed or a wound that will not heal. Large-scale die-offs of frogs around the world have prompted scientists to take desperate measures to try to save those they can.

*Airdate 4/5 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Design: E2 (The Economics of Being Environmentally Conscious) (Documentary half hour- total 6 ½ hours)*

e2 is a series about the economies of being environmentally conscious. Shot in high definition with cinematic lenses, e2 chronicles global efforts to solve pressing ecological challenges. From energy consumption to design efficiency, policy to industry, the series documents the innovators whose work is reducing humans' impact on the environment. Interviews with experts, policymakers and pioneers across a variety of disciplines offer a firsthand account of the complex environmental challenges that we face, as well as the possibility that pragmatic solutions are within reach.

*Airdates 4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8, 6/15, 6/22 & 6/29\*(on 6/15, 6/22 & 6/29 did not broadcast on KCTS 9 as we are no longer analogue!) on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Jean-Michel Cousteau: Ocean Adventures: Sea Ghosts (Documentary one hour)*

There are places on this planet where it's a marvel that anything survives. In the cold Arctic waters of the far north, the sea is alive with sound. The canaries of the sea are singing. They're beluga whales, named from the Russian word for "white ones." They're an evolutionary surprise - a warm-blooded mammal in a numbingly cold sea. Resembling curious ghosts, these intelligent mammals use one of the most complex sonars of any animal. In this episode, Jean-Michel Cousteau travels with his son and daughter, Fabien and Celine, and team to the high Arctic to discover why some beluga groups are thriving and others are disappearing. The revelation is the clear connection between human activity and the belugas' future. The surprise is that what is occurring with belugas may foreshadow similar health concerns for people. The inspiration is that with knowledge comes change and Jean-Michel Cousteau and team find reason for hope embodied in this intriguing, little known and elusive white whale.

*Airdate 4/8 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Salt of the Earth (Documentary one hour)*

Hosted by Paul Rodriguez, SALT OF THE EARTH is a brand new environmental documentary. Salt. In a small amount, it's a gift from nature. But any doctor will tell you, if you take in too much salt, you'll start to have health problems. The same negative effect is happening in the Central Valley in California. On any given day, water imported into the valley brings in 250 tons of salt. Left untreated, salinity impairs surface and groundwater used for drinking, farming, industry, the environment and recreation. Commonly referred to as the "fruit basket of the world," the Central Valley is one of the most productive agricultural regions in the world. Fifty percent of the fruits and vegetables consumed in the U.S. are grown in the Central Valley. The problem is salt. And it is not just a problem in California; salinity in the soil is a problem in: Nevada, Utah, Arizona, Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana, Colorado, Florida and in other states. Those involved agree the solution is complex and costly - it doesn't just affect agriculture - salt concentrates in urban wastewater (water from our laundries, toilets) and this salt goes into our rivers and groundwater, increasing salinity and harming the environment. The solution will need to maximize the use of the valley's water resources, emphasize smart grow and maintain the business and agricultural economy that is vital to California. Salt of the Earth also gives tips on how to use less salt in the household by using less salt intensive products.

*Airdate 4/10 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature: Andes: The Dragon's Back (Documentary one hour)*

When this great spine-like mountain range rose from the sea, it created a new continent and a bridge that joined North and South America, allowing flora and fauna from each to mix and diversify. Today, the Andes continue to grow and evolve and are home to a rich tapestry of environments, including the largest ice field outside the poles, a desert where penguins nest and vertical mile-high geysers where flamingos huddle for warmth.

*Airdate 4/12 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Tavis Smiley (Interview, discussion half hour)*

Rep. Henry Waxman, Chair of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, discusses moving to a low carbon-energy economy, greening the ghetto and healthcare. Actor Idris Elba talks about working with people who've influenced his career, guest-starring on "The Office" and his role in the film "Obsessed."

*Airdate 4/14 @ 12:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Global Focus: The New Environmentalists (Documentary half hour)*

GLOBAL FOCUS is a half hour documentary narrated by Robert Redford, featuring intimate portraits of six passionate and dedicated environmental activists from around the globe. These are true environmental heroes who have placed themselves squarely in harm's way to battle authoritative governments, powerful corporations and other intimidating adversaries. Their goal: safeguarding the Earth's natural resources from shortsighted exploitation and unbridled pollution.

*Airdate 4/14 @ 11:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Independent Lens Taking Root: The Vision of Wangari Maathai (Documentary one hour)*

*How does the simple act of planting trees lead to winning the Nobel Peace Prize? Ask Wangari Maathai of Kenya. In 1977, she suggested rural women plant trees to address problems stemming from a degraded environment. Under her leadership, their tree-planting grew into a nationwide movement to safeguard the environment, defend human rights and promote democracy. And brought Maathai the Nobel Peace Prize in 2004.*

*Airdate 4/15 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Planet Forward (Documentary one hour)*

Scientists and policy makers discuss ideas for America's energy future, submitted by citizens.

*Airdate 4/15 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna (Documentary program segment 20 minutes)*

The government is spending billions every year to clean up nuclear waste at Hanford, and keep pollution from reaching the Columbia River. But the situation may be more critical than suspected. Producer Jenny Cunningham shows us the race to clean-up the Hanford Reach.

Enrique Cerna interviews FRONTLINE producer and correspondent Hedrick Smith about his new documentary Poisoned Waters, examining the hidden and not so hidden pollution in Puget Sound and the Chesapeake Bay.

*Airdate 4/17 @ 9:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature The Loneliest Animals (Documentary one hour)*

The loneliest animals are the most endangered species on the planet. Collected and protected by dedicated scientists, these animals represent the end of the line for their species. In many cases, intensive captive breeding programs have been launched with the aim of sustaining these animals and

the hope of returning them to the wild. Viewers will be taken into high-security, high-tech labs where scientists attempt to breed new generations and into the field to discover what forces have led to the demise of entire species. Featured animals include Yangtze turtles under 24-hour surveillance; a baby Sumatran rhino; a special collection of lemurs; the Spix's macaw, a bird declared extinct in the wild in 2000; and "Lonesome George," a giant tortoise from the Galapagos, who is the last of his kind.

*Airdate 4/19 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Ethanol Maze (Documentary one hour)*

Prices at the pump are putting pressure on our pocketbooks, the economy and America's foreign policy. And steadily increasing gas prices have forced most of us, as well as our politicians, to look closely at alternative biofuels such as ethanol. In "THE ETHANOL MAZE", NET Television navigates the complex questions surrounding the ethanol industry: the effect ethanol production has on food prices, the energy expended to manufacture it and if ethanol is a short-term energy solution that could create additional long-term problems. "THE ETHANOL MAZE" tracks a corn growing season with a Nebraska farmer who hopes the push toward more biofuel production will boost corn prices. We also take a look at alternative fuels research at the Argonne National Laboratory outside Chicago. And we travel to northern California to hear from biofuel opponents who say biofuels efforts are taking away from investment toward what's really needed in the pursuit of bettering the environment -- moving away from internal combustion engines.

*Airdate 4/21 @ 3:00 am on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Frontline Poisoned Waters (Documentary two hours)*

More than three decades after the Clean Water Act was supposed to make America's waters clean enough for swimming and fishing again, two iconic waterways -- the great coastal estuaries of Puget Sound and the Chesapeake Bay -- are in perilous condition. With polluted runoff still flowing in from industry, agriculture and massive suburban development, scientists fear contamination to the food chain and drinking water for millions of people. A growing list of endangered species is also threatened in both estuaries. As a new president, Congress and states set new agendas and spending priorities, FRONTLINE correspondent Hedrick Smith examines the rising hazards to human health and the ecosystem, and why it's so hard to keep our waters clean.

*Airdate 4/21 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Jean-Michel Cousteau: Ocean Adventures: Call of the Killer Whales: Parts 1 & 2 (Documentary two hours)* The most complex marine species on the planet is the orca, the ruler of the ocean. Though they number fewer than 100,000 worldwide, orcas, also called killer whales, extend from the Arctic to the Antarctic, and learning more about them is a global endeavor. In this episode, Jean-Michel Cousteau and his team of explorers travel to both the northern and southern hemispheres as they seek out killer whales in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. The team discovers that people and orcas share surprising similarities, and even similar needs; they relate their findings to the captivity and release of Keiko, from Free Willy fame, whose survival depended on pioneering efforts to re-introduce Keiko into the wild. Intriguing detours in the expedition arise, leading to critical examinations of our environment, of the food on our dinner tables, even of our own health.

*Airdate 4/22 @ 9:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*NOVA Car of the Future (Documentary one hour)*

How will the car of the future be powered? Will it run on hydrogen, batteries, ethanol or some as-yet undiscovered technology? Find out as NOVA takes a look at the latest and greatest in the automotive industry. Tom and Ray Magliozzi of NPR's "Car Talk" fame take viewers on a roller-coaster ride into the

world of cars - examining new technologies and ideas about America's most common form of transportation. With constantly increasing prices at the pump and a growing concern about the impact of emissions on global warming, there is a keen interest in alternative fuel sources to power our cars. The hydrogen fuel cell has long been the holy grail of zero emissions energy, and countries like Iceland are trying out the technology by transforming their public transportation. Closer to home, there are attempts to create fuels like "biodiesel" - made of used vegetable oil - or ethanol from corn crops. Will these be our future fuels or just a useful intermediate? Can an all-electric sports car being developed in California change the face of driving for good? With in-depth interviews and the unique humor of the much-loved Magliozzi brothers, "Car of the Future" takes a light-hearted but knowledgeable look at the serious issue of what's to come for our transportation.

*Airdate 4/21 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Crash: A Tale of Two Species (Documentary one hour)*

This is a story of the interconnection of life, how every species is important, no matter how big or small. At the center is the humble horseshoe crab, a creature that has remained virtually unchanged for 300 million years. Its annual spring spawning produces millions of eggs that are the lifeline for a tiny bird called a red knot, which migrates 10,000 miles from South America to the Arctic each year. Scientific and medical communities have discovered that the crab also provides an indispensable testing agent for drugs and vaccines, as well as resources for human optics and burn treatment. But horseshoe crab numbers are plummeting from their new use as bait for the fishing industry, dropping by two-thirds since 1990. The precious pyramid depending on this age-old creature is about to come crashing down.

*Airdate 4/28 @ 12:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Eagles of Mull (Documentary one hour)*

The Scottish island of Mull provides a beautiful backdrop for this insider's guide to its thriving wildlife. Located off the coast of western Scotland, the island of Mull is one of those rare and fortunate places that seem untouched by the passage of time. From its powder-white beaches to snow-capped mountain peaks, Mull has an incredible diversity of life. A blend of mountains, forests, bogs, coastline, moorland and crystal clear rivers, Mull's rich variety of habitat is matched only by the abundance of wildlife. The golden eagle and the rare white tailed eagle, which has only returned to Mull in the last 15 years, have strongholds on the island. But these aerial killers are not alone in the skies above Mull. The calls of gulls, oystercatchers, curlew and skylarks fill the air. The numerous species of birds represent just a small part of the island's biodiversity. The surrounding waters play host to minke whales, bottlenose dolphins, grey seals and basking sharks. Otters fish in the many sea lochs, while on land you're likely to catch sight of deer, mink, and maybe even the elusive wild white goats. Cameraman Gordon Buchanan turns the lens on his birthplace to give an insight into the wild characters of this remarkable island.

*Airdate 5/3 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Voyage of the Loggerhead Turtles (Documentary one hour)*

A female loggerhead turtle sets off to lay eggs in the place where she was born. Her voyage will take her across the Pacific, from the coast of Mexico to Japan. It is among the longest journeys undertaken by any animal on land or sea, and she will make it all alone - facing typhoons and sharks, whales and squids, and passing through several exotic kingdoms of the sea.

*Airdate 5/10 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Victoria Falls (Documentary one hour)*

Cutting across the Zambezi River, bridging the countries of Zambia and Zimbabwe, Victoria Falls is the largest waterfall in the world. In the dry season, this awesome force of nature divides two natural

worlds -- the tranquil meandering river above the cascade, and the raging abyss of the gorge below. The upper river is idyllic, running shallow through sandstone hills and meandering around islands and reed-beds where elephants, hippos, and crocodiles thrive. In a single vertical drop the river plummets twice the height of Niagara Falls into the wild waters and heavy spray of the narrow gorge, where fish are found only by those who know where to look. Between the two worlds are treacherous cliffs and thick, mossy rainforests fed by river mists, home to baboons whose lives change with the seasons. When the rains fall, the rivers swell and the falls thunder.

*Airdate 5/17 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*KCTS 9 Connects with Enrique Cerna (Documentary program segment 10 minutes)*

Seattle has long been the "coffee capital" of the U.S. Now, local roasters like Caffè Vita and Grounds for Change are leading the way in responsible coffee drinking, brining concepts like farm-direct, fair trade, organic and even carbon-neutral coffee into the mainstream. While a fascinating exhibit at the Burke Museum in Seattle teaches coffee lovers about the complex web of activity that goes into every cup of coffee.

*Airdate 5/22 @ 7:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*PBS Previews: The National Parks: America's Best Idea (Documentary half hour)*

PBS presents a preview of the new Ken Burns film THE NATIONAL PARKS: AMERICA'S BEST IDEA. The 12-hour, six-part documentary series, directed by Burns and co-produced with his longtime colleague, Dayton Duncan, who also wrote the script, is the story of an idea as uniquely American as the Declaration of Independence and just as radical: that the most special places in the nation should be preserved, not for royalty or the rich, but for everyone.

*Airdate 5/24 @ 8:30 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Nature Holy Cow*

Where did the cow come from? And what is it about cows that make them the most successful and influential domestic animal on earth? This is the story of how we have changed the cow and how the cow has changed us.

*Airdate 5/31 @ 8:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Cliff Mass: Weather Wisdom (Interview/Discussion 90 minutes)*

Acclaimed University of Washington meteorologist and author Cliff Mass explains Washington's and British Columbia's weather patterns and extremes.

*Airdate 6/7 @ 2:00 pm on KCTS 9, HD & KYVE*

*Amazon Super River (Documentary one hour)*

AMAZON: SUPER RIVER explores the exciting life story of the river with the world's most diverse ecosystem. Of all the super rivers on earth, the Amazon is by far the greatest - more than 4,000 miles long and up to 10 miles wide in places. It almost splits a continent in half and contains a fifth of all the river water on the planet. The incredible array of wildlife seen in the Amazon includes more than 3,000 species of fish and unique large animals including the sloth, jaguar, capybara and tapir. Featuring stunning aerial pictures, the best of wildlife photography and original visual effects, AMAZON: SUPER RIVER is a comprehensive look at the incredible inhabitants and fascinating history of the world's largest river.

*Airdate 6/14 @ 7:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*Nature Killers In Eden (Documentary one hour)*

This is the extraordinary story of interspecies cooperation between killer whales and whalers in Australia as they joined in hunts for migrating baleen whales. Rooted in historical fact and told by members of the community who witnessed the hunts, it demonstrates the incredible intelligence of the killer whales and the remarkable trust of the whaling community that was the basis of a partnership that lasted nearly 100 years.

*Airdate 6/14 @ 8:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*Frontline Digital Dumping Ground (Documentary one hour)*

As this month's digital television conversion makes tens of millions of analog TVs obsolete, and Americans continue to trash old computers and cell phones at alarming rates, FRONTLINE/World presents a global investigation into the dirty secret of the digital age -- the dumping of hundreds of millions of pounds of electronic waste around the world each year. Tracking "e-waste" to the slums of Ghana and the far-off provinces in China, producer/correspondent Peter Klein and his team of graduate journalism students fan out around the world to document the growing impact of this toxic trash on those who desperately scavenge it for precious metals. They also explore the potential threats to privacy, as criminal gangs attempt to harvest data from America's old computers and cell phones and exploit it. Also in this hour, a popular competition to inspire a new generation of entrepreneurs in the Middle East, and a pioneering effort to make an affordable wheelchair for the developing world.

*Airdate 6/23 @ 9:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*Journey to Planet Earth The State of the Planet's Oceans (Documentary one hour)*

Narrated by Academy Award-winner Matt Damon, "The State of the Planet's Oceans" investigates the health and sustainability of the world's oceans. Some of the featured stories and issues are: the collapse of the cod fishing industry and its economic consequences in Portugal and New England; rapid glacial melting and its significance in Peru and Bangladesh; the success of marine preserves in the Florida Keys and off the coast of Belize; and a first person essay by world-renowned oceanographer Sylvia Earle.

*Airdate 6/24 @ 8:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

*Nature Encountering Sea Monsters (Documentary one hour)*

Science fiction writers have come up with strange depictions of alien life, but nothing to rival creatures with a beak like a parrot, no bones, three hearts, blue blood, skin that can change colors and arms growing out of lips. Scientists call them cephalopods (squid and octopus); they inhabit a world where cannibalism is a daily practice, mating can involve amputation, trickery is rife and size means everything - and nothing. Viewers follow a cameraman into the abyss and share his adventures with the planet's most cryptic and clever monsters.

*Airdate 6/30 @ 12:00 pm on HD & KYVE*

## **Children's Programming**

### **1. Monday through Friday**

(April 1- June 30)

6:30 am Raggs

7:00 am Sesame Street

08:00 am Curious George

08:30 am Sid the Science Kid

09:00 am Super Why!

09:30 am Clifford the Big Red Dog

10: am Dragon Tales

10:30 am Word World

11:00 am Between The Lions

11:30 am : Mister Rogers'

3:00 pm Arthur

3:30 pm Word Girl

4:00 pm Martha Speaks

4:30 pm Curious George

### **Weekends**

#### **Saturday's**

5:30 am Make Way for Noddy (June)

6:00 am Barney and Friends

6:30 am Jay Jay the Jet Plane (April – May)

6:30 am Angelina Ballerina (June)

7:00 am Bob the Builder

7:30 am Thomas and Friends

8:00 am Miffy and Friends

8:30 am Franny's feet

9:00 am It's a Big Big World

9:30 am Reading Rainbow

10:00 am Electric Company

10:30 am Fetch with Ruff Ruffman (April – May)

10:30 am Biz Kid\$ (June)

11:00 am MAKE: (except 4/18, 5/26, 5/30 and not in June)

#### **Sunday's**

7:30 am Maya and Miguel

8:00 am Animalia

8:30 am Cyberchase

9:00 am DragonFly TV

9:30 am Saddle Club